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No. 38 : BIRTHPLACES OF THE POPULATION, AND PERIOD OF RESIDENCE IN AUSTRALIA OF PERSONS BORN OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA.

This statement shows the population of each State and Territory of Australia at the Census of 30th June, 1954, classified according to birthplace, and also according to period of residence in Australia (in respect of persons born outside Australia). This is the fourth in a series providing details of characteristics of the population of each State and the whole of Australia at Census date.

The following are the statements of this nature already issued:- Summary No. 30, relating to the single ages and to the conjugal condition of the population, No. 32, to the religions of the population and No. 37, to the nationalities of the population. A similar statement in respect of the industry and occupational status of the population will be issued as the information becomes available. A Summary of Population for Australia as a whole, containing some analysis and comparisons with the 1947 Census, and corresponding to the Summaries already issued for several of the States, will also be issued at a later date.

All figures shown herein are exclusive of full-blood aboriginals.

In accordance with previous practice, Census particulars were not required of diplomatic representatives of foreign governments and the High Commissioners representing the governments of the members of the British Commonwealth, with their families and staffs. The greater proportion of these persons was in Canberra, Australian Capital Territory, where the number of persons excluded from the Census was approximately 400.

A. - BIRTHPLACE.

Table 1 shows the birthplaces of the population in each State and for the whole of Australia as at 30th June, 1954, while Table 2 provides a comparison for the Australian population of the birthplaces principally represented at the Censuses of 1947 and 1954.

TABLE 1. - BIRTHPLACES OF THE POPULATION IN EACH STATE AND TERRITORY,
CENSUS, 30TH JUNE, 1954.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals)

Birthplace	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'd	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia
M A L E S									
Australasia -									
Australia	1,461,504	1,020,836	584,949	338,944	244,513	141,688	7,955	12,453	3,812
Norfolk Island	117	12	6	3	3	6	1	1	
Papua	84	29	92	14	12	2	-	2	
New Guinea	306	66	194	39	17	9	2	3	
Nauru	28	11	3	1	2	-	-	-	
New Zealand	11,037	5,456	2,590	780	1,091	532	100	137	21
Total, Australasia	1,473,076	1,026,410	587,834	339,781	245,638	142,237	8,058	12,596	3,835
Europe -									
England	94,121	66,190	34,216	20,223	34,347	5,816	648	1,022	256
Wales	3,388	1,743	1,189	659	1,125	179	22	36	8
Scotland	25,542	17,282	10,265	4,572	7,419	1,227	179	305	66
Northern Ireland	1,818	1,808	852	348	546	105	14	36	5
Ireland, Republic of	1,118	1,139	578	261	375	77	33	14	3
Ireland (Undefined)	6,279	4,753	3,513	1,035	2,071	243	98	60	18
Albania	108	612	233	33	194	3	5	-	1
Austria	2,263	2,064	250	429	432	94	16	34	5
Belgium	229	288	51	35	51	17	2	1	
Bulgaria	267	200	67	287	105	10	5	6	
Czechoslovakia	3,550	2,579	693	879	448	215	89	62	8
Denmark	724	428	545	168	199	47	13	4	2
Estonia	1,663	652	223	494	236	63	9	53	3
Finland	391	224	475	112	112	15	4	1	1
France	1,048	725	267	119	125	105	9	19	2
Germany	9,397	11,029	3,618	5,338	2,698	1,161	141	281	33
Greece	5,988	5,009	1,722	1,819	1,981	134	87	54	16
Hungary	3,950	2,624	645	1,029	537	191	40	38	9
Italy	20,163	27,709	11,248	8,112	11,482	804	248	260	80
Latvia	2,916	3,021	711	1,689	834	229	17	106	9
Lithuania	1,565	1,763	300	1,005	390	164	8	77	5
Malta	5,615	4,469	1,332	599	288	33	5	70	12
Netherlands	9,072	9,188	3,103	2,285	4,857	1,262	56	214	30
Norway	985	481	368	218	230	48	15	19	2
Poland	11,114	12,836	2,488	4,481	3,112	1,188	58	375	35
Portugal	158	26	19	3	35	4	4	17	
Romania	900	619	123	205	105	28	9	14	2
Spain	184	232	381	22	87	8	3	2	
Sweden	635	474	295	225	159	33	21	1	1
Switzerland	589	518	266	86	144	53	9	17	1
Ukraine	3,039	2,710	591	1,420	688	173	12	95	8
U. S. S. R.	2,620	1,685	1,088	507	350	94	29	46	6
Yugoslavia	5,141	4,060	1,074	1,864	2,957	270	34	71	15
Other	494	911	223	225	217	36	6	6	2
Total, Europe	227,034	190,051	83,012	60,786	78,936	14,129	1,948	3,416	659
Asia -									
Ceylon	215	469	96	46	265	17	2	5	1
China	3,717	1,726	858	326	379	105	26	16	7
Cyprus	1,596	1,760	321	449	59	16	44	9	4
Hong Kong	484	198	131	46	45	11	7	4	9
India	1,727	1,880	634	552	1,570	159	18	26	6
Indonesia	736	551	367	86	338	61	45	21	2
Israel	312	772	34	68	165	2	-	3	1
Japan	175	88	51	71	60	6	3	4	2

TABLE 1. : BIRTHPLACES (Continued.)

Birthplace	N. S. W.	Vic.	Q'ld	S. A.	W. A.	Tas.	N. T.	A. C. T.	Australia
M A L E S (Continued)									
Asia - Continued.									
Lebanon	1,802	283	139	197	20	6	-	2	2,449
Malaya, Federation of	414	436	93	131	408	29	4	6	1,521
Pakistan	174	346	95	57	111	10	2	1	796
Philippines	57	19	18	4	12	1	6	-	117
Singapore	245	174	36	60	186	17	16	-	734
Syria	86	38	16	20	4	1	-	-	165
Turkey	262	148	27	88	48	2	-	7	582
Other	454	683	180	101	378	27	19	18	1,860
Total, Asia	12,456	9,571	3,096	2,302	4,048	470	192	122	32,257
Africa -									
Egypt	2,135	1,523	140	227	333	23	7	4	4,392
Union of South Africa	1,238	882	350	210	333	77	5	18	3,113
Other	315	255	96	65	157	32	5	5	930
Total, Africa	3,688	2,660	586	502	823	132	17	27	8,435
America -									
British West Indies	57	24	28	8	22	2	-	3	144
Canada	1,082	582	412	144	255	59	23	14	2,571
United States of America	1,960	1,349	874	258	469	51	39	37	5,037
Other	301	197	121	55	92	18	4	6	794
Total, America	3,400	2,152	1,435	465	838	130	66	60	8,546
Polynesia	1,090	189	217	46	46	28	5	7	1,628
Port Sea	116	66	72	21	29	3	2	1	310
Total Born Outside Australia	259,356	210,263	91,303	64,959	85,845	15,441	2,333	3,776	733,276
GRAND TOTAL	1,720,860	1,231,099	676,252	403,903	330,358	157,129	10,288	16,229	4,546,118
F E M A L E S									
Australasia -									
Australia	1,498,672	1,062,543	575,646	347,545	245,593	140,803	5,542	11,395	3,887,739
Norfolk Island	143	8	3	4	2	1	2	3	166
Papua	96	39	70	8	6	3	1	3	226
New Guinea	327	77	160	33	14	10	2	3	626
Nauru	16	15	4	2	2	1	-	-	40
New Zealand	11,478	5,675	2,022	745	986	580	38	100	21,624
Total, Australasia	1,510,732	1,068,357	577,905	348,337	246,603	141,398	5,585	11,504	3,910,421
Europe -									
England	82,572	57,498	28,481	18,006	28,859	5,138	276	799	221,629
Wales	2,545	1,279	909	486	782	112	9	20	6,142
Scotland	22,414	14,793	8,801	3,777	5,765	951	56	280	56,837
Northern Ireland	1,416	1,295	583	220	380	53	3	25	3,975
Ireland, Republic of	779	633	440	179	321	35	2	8	2,397
Ireland (Undefined)	5,058	3,315	3,124	711	1,703	177	12	22	14,122
Albania	18	84	47	-	41	-	-	-	190
Austria	2,323	1,899	217	385	372	52	1	37	5,286
Belgium	269	325	57	57	52	25	2	2	789
Bulgaria	58	52	8	124	35	-	-	-	277
Czechoslovakia	1,893	1,489	189	252	250	63	8	21	4,165
Denmark	239	202	260	42	64	15	-	4	826
Estonia	1,569	697	147	452	191	52	1	47	3,156
Finland	103	52	197	15	28	3	-	1	399
France	969	772	193	115	163	57	1	12	2,282
Germany	9,985	10,743	3,167	4,279	2,663	633	31	257	31,758
Greece	3,187	2,636	954	990	1,232	16	23	30	9,068
Hungary	2,732	1,683	248	462	328	66	1	28	5,548
Italy	9,777	14,720	5,547	3,721	5,560	170	54	68	39,617

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TABLE 1. : BIRTHPLACES (Continued.)

Birthplace	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia
F E M A L E S (Continued)									
Europe - Continued									
Latvia	2,448	2,672	468	1,240	669	134	-	101	7,73
Lithuania	1,005	1,199	105	543	195	66	-	59	3,17
Malta	3,683	2,662	756	309	104	10	-	53	7,57
Netherlands	6,515	6,786	2,129	1,651	3,624	1,078	16	163	21,96
Norway	191	112	96	14	42	13	-	2	47
Poland	6,327	8,592	1,299	2,116	2,018	406	1	183	20,94
Portugal	33	7	2	3	2	-	1	2	5
Romania	635	441	45	106	64	7	-	13	1,31
Spain	73	142	152	13	51	4	1	2	43
Sweden	149	106	47	19	17	9	-	1	34
Switzerland	415	448	134	90	99	35	-	10	1,23
Ukraine	2,174	1,968	353	927	444	95	1	66	6,02
U. S. S. R.	2,852	1,706	1,057	513	426	69	3	53	6,67
Yugoslavia	2,436	2,058	398	766	1,616	70	1	29	7,37
Other	422	624	103	130	181	13	-	3	1,47
Total, Europe	177,264	143,690	60,713	42,713	58,341	9,627	506	2,401	495,25
Asia -									
Ceylon	135	351	63	34	237	18	2	6	84
China	1,900	492	489	49	82	29	23	14	3,07
Cyprus	532	636	108	217	15	2	9	-	1,51
Hong Kong	370	112	88	7	30	10	7	4	62
India	1,532	1,248	444	473	1,502	162	1	17	5,37
Indonesia	547	283	240	60	242	35	4	12	1,42
Israel	287	754	33	67	161	8	-	6	1,31
Japan	188	150	70	33	36	16	4	11	50
Lebanon	964	195	102	137	13	-	-	1	1,44
Malaya, Federa- tion of	206	209	57	44	210	21	4	7	75
Pakistan	37	39	10	7	46	8	1	-	14
Philippines	58	25	8	1	8	-	-	-	10
Singapore	138	85	24	16	158	10	-	4	43
Syria	77	29	16	10	7	1	-	-	14
Turkey	187	135	25	59	40	6	-	2	45
Other	377	247	90	49	366	25	10	2	1,16
Total, Asia	7,535	4,990	1,867	1,263	3,153	351	65	86	19,3
Africa -									
Egypt	1,842	1,225	124	234	310	18	-	5	3,7
Union of South Africa	1,169	850	281	184	279	77	3	15	2,85
Other	277	218	66	65	128	18	2	1	77
Total, Africa	3,288	2,293	471	483	717	113	5	21	7,39
America -									
British West Indies	41	27	13	8	19	3	-	1	11
Canada	851	480	272	98	151	46	4	15	1,91
United States of America	1,356	905	458	162	281	35	7	45	3,24
Other	262	184	85	41	74	18	2	3	66
Total, America	2,510	1,596	828	309	525	102	13	64	5,94
Polynesia	1,196	233	150	58	48	28	7	10	1,73
At Sea	144	83	73	28	26	4	-	-	35
Total Born Out- side Australia	203,997	158,699	66,361	45,646	63,820	10,820	639	2,691	552,67
GRAND TOTAL	1,702,669	1,221,242	642,007	393,191	309,413	151,623	6,181	14,086	4,440,41

TABLE 1. : BIRTHPLACES (Continued.)

Birthplace	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia
P E R S O N S									
Australasia -									
Australia	2,960,176	2,083,379	1,160,595	686,489	490,106	282,491	13,497	23,848	7,700,581
Norfolk Island	260	20	9	7	5	7	3	4	315
Papua	180	68	162	22	18	5	1	5	461
New Guinea	633	143	354	72	31	19	4	6	1,262
Nauru	44	26	7	3	4	1	-	-	85
New Zealand	22,515	11,131	4,612	1,525	2,077	1,112	138	237	43,347
Total, Australasia	2,983,808	2,094,767	1,165,739	688,118	492,241	283,635	13,643	24,100	7,746,051
Europe -									
England	176,693	123,688	62,697	38,229	63,206	10,954	924	1,821	478,212
Wales	5,933	3,022	2,098	1,145	1,907	291	31	56	14,483
Scotland	47,956	32,075	19,066	8,349	13,184	2,178	235	585	123,628
Northern Ireland	3,234	3,103	1,435	568	926	158	17	61	9,502
Ireland, Republic of	1,897	1,772	1,018	440	696	112	35	22	5,992
Ireland (Undefined)	11,337	8,068	6,637	1,746	3,774	420	110	82	32,174
Albania	126	696	280	33	235	3	5	-	1,378
Austria	4,586	3,963	467	814	804	146	17	71	10,868
Belgium	498	613	108	92	103	42	4	3	1,463
Bulgaria	325	252	75	411	140	10	5	6	1,224
Czechoslovakia	5,443	4,068	882	1,131	698	278	97	83	12,680
Denmark	963	630	805	210	263	62	13	8	2,954
Estonia	3,232	1,349	370	946	427	115	10	100	6,549
Finland	494	276	672	127	140	18	4	2	1,733
France	2,017	1,497	460	234	288	162	10	31	4,699
Germany	19,382	21,772	6,785	9,617	5,361	1,794	172	538	65,421
Greece	9,175	7,645	2,676	2,809	3,213	150	110	84	25,862
Hungary	6,682	4,307	893	1,491	865	257	41	66	14,602
Italy	29,940	42,429	16,795	11,833	17,042	974	302	328	119,643
Latvia	5,364	5,693	1,179	2,929	1,503	363	19	207	17,257
Lithuania	2,570	2,962	405	1,548	585	230	8	136	8,444
Malta	9,298	7,131	2,088	908	392	43	5	123	19,988
Netherlands	15,587	15,974	5,232	3,936	8,481	2,340	72	377	51,999
Norway	1,176	593	464	232	272	61	15	21	2,834
Poland	17,441	21,428	3,787	6,597	5,130	1,594	59	558	56,594
Portugal	191	33	21	6	37	4	5	19	316
Romania	1,535	1,060	168	311	169	35	9	27	3,314
Spain	257	374	533	35	138	12	4	4	1,357
Sweden	784	580	342	244	176	42	21	2	2,191
Switzerland	1,004	966	400	176	243	88	9	27	2,913
Ukraine	5,213	4,678	944	2,347	1,132	268	13	161	14,756
U.S.S.R.	5,472	3,391	2,145	1,020	776	163	32	99	13,098
Yugoslavia	7,577	6,118	1,472	2,630	4,573	340	35	100	22,845
Other	916	1,535	326	355	398	49	6	9	3,594
Total, Europe	404,298	333,741	143,725	103,499	137,277	23,756	2,454	5,817	1,154,567
Asia -									
Ceylon	350	820	159	80	502	35	4	11	1,961
China	5,617	2,218	1,347	375	461	134	49	30	10,231
Cyprus	2,128	2,396	429	666	74	18	53	9	5,773
Hong Kong	854	310	219	53	75	21	14	8	1,554
India	3,259	3,128	1,078	1,025	3,072	321	19	43	11,945
Indonesia	1,283	834	607	146	580	96	49	33	3,628
Israel	599	1,526	67	135	326	10	-	9	2,672
Japan	363	238	121	104	96	22	7	15	966
Lebanon	2,766	478	241	334	33	6	-	3	3,861
Malaya, Federation of	620	645	150	175	618	50	8	13	2,279
Pakistan	211	385	105	64	157	18	3	1	944
Philippines	115	44	26	5	20	1	6	-	217
Singapore	383	259	60	76	344	27	16	4	1,169
Syria	163	67	32	30	11	2	-	-	305
Turkey	449	283	52	147	88	8	-	9	1,036
Other	831	930	270	150	744	52	29	20	3,026
Total, Asia	19,991	14,561	4,963	3,565	7,201	821	257	208	51,567

TABLE 1. : BIRTHPLACES (Continued.)

Birthplace	N. S. W.	Vic.	Q'ld	S. A.	W. A.	Tas.	N. T.	A. C. T.	Australia
P E R S O N S (Continued)									
Africa -									
Egypt	3,977	2,748	264	461	643	41	7	9	8,150
Union of South Africa	2,407	1,732	631	394	612	154	8	33	5,971
Other	592	473	162	130	285	50	7	6	1,705
Total, Africa	6,976	4,953	1,057	985	1,540	245	22	48	15,826
America -									
British West Indies	98	51	41	16	41	5	-	4	256
Canada	1,933	1,062	684	242	406	105	27	29	4,488
United States of America	3,316	2,254	1,332	420	750	86	46	82	8,286
Other	563	381	206	96	166	36	6	9	1,463
Total, America	5,910	3,748	2,263	774	1,363	232	79	124	14,493
Polynesia	2,286	422	367	104	94	56	12	17	3,358
At Sea	260	149	145	49	55	7	2	1	668
Total Born Outside Australia	463,353	368,962	157,664	110,605	149,665	26,261	2,972	6,467	1,285,949
GRAND TOTAL	3,423,529	2,452,341	1,318,259	797,094	639,771	308,752	16,469	30,315	8,986,530

TABLE 2. - BIRTHPLACES OF THE POPULATION OF AUSTRALIA :

CENSUSES - 1947 AND 1954.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines)

P E R S O N S

Birthplace	Census, 1947	Census, 1954	Numerical Increase or Decrease (-) since 1947
Australasia -			
Australia	6,835,171	7,700,581	865,410
New Zealand	43,610	43,347	- 263
Other	1,586	2,123	537
Total, Australasia	6,880,367	7,746,051	865,684
Europe -			
England	381,592	478,212	96,620
Wales	11,864	14,483	2,619
Scotland	102,998	123,628	20,630
Northern Ireland	5,539	9,502	3,963
Ireland, Republic of	4,664	5,992	1,328
Ireland (Undefined)	34,610	32,174	- 2,436
Austria	4,219	10,868	6,649
Czechoslovakia	1,484	12,680	11,196
Denmark	2,759	2,954	195
Estonia	1,102	6,549	5,447
France	2,215	4,699	2,484
Germany	14,567	65,421	50,854
Greece	12,291	25,862	13,571
Hungary	1,227	14,602	13,375
Italy	33,632	119,643	86,011
Latvia	447	17,257	16,810
Lithuania	273	8,444	8,171
Malta	3,238	19,988	16,750
Netherlands	2,174	51,999	49,825
Norway	2,024	2,834	810
Poland	6,573	56,594	50,021
Romania	493	3,314	2,821
Sweden	2,209	2,191	- 18
Switzerland	1,663	2,913	1,250
Ukraine	) 4,976 (	14,756	22,878
U. S. S. R.	) 5,866 (	13,098	16,979
Yugoslavia	6,907	22,845	4,158
Other		11,065	
Total, Europe	651,606	1,154,567	502,961

TABLE 2. - BIRTHPLACES OF THE POPULATION (Continued.)

P E R S O N S

Birthplace	Census, 1947	Census, 1954	Numerical Increase or . Decrease (-) since 1947
Asia -			
Ceylon, India and Pakistan	8,160	14,850	6,690
China	6,404	10,231	3,827
Cyprus	681	5,773	5,092
Indonesia	918 (b)	3,628	2,710
Singapore and Federation of Malaya	1,768 (a)	3,448	1,680
Syria and Lebanon	1,886	4,166	2,280
Other	4,279	9,471	5,192
Total, Asia	24,096	51,567	27,471
Africa -			
Egypt	803	8,150	7,347
Union of South Africa	5,866	5,971	105
Other	868	1,705	837
Total, Africa	7,537	15,826	8,289
America -			
Canada	4,009	4,488	479
United States of America	6,232	8,286	2,054
Other	1,389	1,719	330
Total, America	11,630	14,493	2,863
Polynesia	3,145	3,358	213
At Sea	977	668	- 309
Total Born Outside Australia	744,187	1,285,949	541,762
GRAND TOTAL	7,579,358	8,986,530	1,407,172

(a) Straits Settlements and Malaya (n.e.i.).

(b) Netherlands East Indies.

At 30th June, 1954, the Australian-born population of Australia represented nearly 86 per cent. of the total, compared with 90 per cent. in 1947. European-born persons constituted 12.8 per cent. of the population of Australia in 1954, compared with 8.6 per cent. in 1947.

The largest numerical increases in oversea-born persons in Australia between the Censuses of 1947 and 1954 occurred in respect of the following countries of birthplace:- England, 96,620 persons; Italy, 86,011 persons; Germany, 50,854 persons; Poland, 50,021 persons and the Netherlands, 49,825 persons. The largest proportional increases were in respect of persons born in Latvia, Lithuania and the Netherlands, whose numbers were respectively 39 times, 31 times and 24 times as great as in 1947.

B. - PERIOD OF RESIDENCE IN AUSTRALIA.

Table 3 sets out, for each State and for Australia at the Census of 30th June, 1954, the period of residence in Australia of persons born outside Australia. Table 4 provides a comparison of such persons for Australia as a whole at the Censuses of 1947 and 1954.

Of the 1954 population born outside Australia, 53 per cent. (681,616 persons) had resided in Australia for less than eight years as compared with 7.5 per cent. (55,698 persons) in 1947.

TABLE 3. - PERIOD OF RESIDENCE IN AUSTRALIA OF PERSONS BORN OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA.

CENSUS, 30TH JUNE, 1954.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines)

Period of Residence	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia
M A L E S									
Under 1 year	12,388	18,237	4,568	5,105	5,774	1,042	101	195	47,408
1 yr. & under 2yrs.	9,228	10,416	3,451	3,544	4,261	963	113	222	32,198
2 yrs. " " 3 "	18,170	22,428	6,730	8,038	7,068	2,154	272	429	65,288
3 " " " 4 "	23,443	24,115	6,946	6,774	6,773	2,316	230	522	71,117
4 " " " 5 "	29,690	26,517	8,922	10,528	8,983	1,996	275	671	87,588
Total under 5 yrs.	92,919	101,713	30,617	33,989	32,859	8,471	991	2,039	303,595
5 yrs. & under 6yrs.	23,177	19,547	5,837	7,336	6,309	1,530	264	570	64,577
6 " " " 7 "	7,600	5,975	2,107	2,340	2,381	871	85	155	21,514
7 " " " 8 "	3,743	2,583	821	619	1,194	370	30	86	9,446
8 " " " 15 "	7,304	4,233	1,602	757	1,305	325	58	89	15,677
Total 5 years and under 15 years	41,824	32,338	10,367	11,052	11,189	3,096	437	900	111,200
15 years and over	119,853	72,948	49,097	18,557	40,484	3,596	845	822	306,202
Not Stated	4,760	3,264	1,222	1,361	1,313	278	60	15	12,273
Total Born outside Australia	259,356	210,263	91,303	64,959	85,845	15,441	2,333	3,776	733,277
Born in Australia	1,461,504	1,020,836	584,949	338,944	244,513	141,688	7,955	12,453	3,812,844
TOTAL	1,720,860	1,231,099	676,252	403,903	330,358	157,129	10,288	16,229	4,546,121
F E M A L E S									
Under 1 year	9,444	13,343	2,832	3,707	4,639	615	52	199	34,831
1 yr. & under 2yrs.	7,839	9,128	2,751	2,896	3,473	790	49	167	27,092
2 yrs. " " 3 "	11,753	13,659	3,777	4,384	4,153	1,291	70	243	39,330
3 " " " 4 "	16,599	17,329	4,763	4,724	5,031	1,470	39	386	50,344
4 " " " 5 "	21,429	19,140	6,073	6,808	6,895	1,278	67	501	62,192
Total under 5 yrs.	67,064	72,599	20,196	22,519	24,191	5,444	277	1,496	213,778
5 yrs. & under 6yrs.	17,017	14,009	3,667	4,944	4,260	1,106	57	341	45,401
6 " " " 7 "	5,519	4,483	1,471	1,410	1,994	412	34	95	15,411
7 " " " 8 "	3,112	2,243	745	569	978	162	13	61	7,888
8 " " " 15 "	5,438	3,325	1,356	767	1,258	278	31	70	12,522
Total 5 years and under 15 years	31,086	24,060	7,239	7,690	8,490	1,958	135	567	81,222
15 years and over	101,608	59,243	37,949	14,794	30,176	3,218	214	607	247,805
Not Stated	4,239	2,797	977	643	963	200	13	21	9,853
Total Born outside Australia	203,997	158,699	66,361	45,646	63,820	10,820	639	2,691	552,677
Born in Australia	1,498,672	1,062,543	575,646	347,545	245,593	140,803	5,542	11,395	3,887,739
TOTAL	1,702,669	1,221,242	642,007	393,191	309,413	151,623	6,181	14,086	4,440,416
P E R S O N S									
Under 1 year	21,832	31,580	7,400	8,812	10,413	1,657	153	394	82,241
1 yr. & under 2yrs.	17,067	19,544	6,202	6,440	7,734	1,753	162	389	59,291
2 yrs. " " 3 "	29,923	36,087	10,507	12,422	11,221	3,445	342	672	104,619
3 " " " 4 "	40,042	41,444	11,709	11,498	11,804	3,786	269	908	121,460
4 " " " 5 "	51,119	45,657	14,995	17,336	15,878	3,274	342	1,172	149,773
Total under 5 yrs.	159,983	174,312	50,813	56,508	57,050	13,915	1,268	3,535	517,384
5 yrs. & under 6yrs.	40,194	33,556	9,504	12,280	10,569	2,636	321	911	109,971
6 " " " 7 "	13,119	10,458	3,578	3,750	4,375	1,283	119	250	36,932
7 " " " 8 "	6,855	4,826	1,566	1,188	2,172	532	43	147	17,329
8 " " " 15 "	12,742	7,558	2,958	1,524	2,563	603	89	159	28,196
Total 5 years and under 15 years	72,910	56,398	17,606	18,742	19,679	5,054	572	1,467	192,428
15 years and over	221,461	132,191	87,046	33,351	70,660	6,814	1,059	1,429	554,011
Not Stated	8,999	6,061	2,199	2,004	2,276	478	73	36	22,126
Total Born outside Australia	463,353	368,962	157,664	110,605	149,665	26,261	2,972	6,467	1,285,949
Born in Australia	2,960,176	2,083,379	1,160,595	686,489	490,106	282,491	13,497	23,848	7,700,581
TOTAL	3,423,529	2,452,341	1,318,259	797,094	639,771	308,752	16,469	30,315	8,986,530

TABLE 4. - PERIOD OF RESIDENCE IN AUSTRALIA OF PERSONS BORN OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA.

CENSUS, 1947 AND 1954.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines)

Period of Residence	Census, 1947	Census, 1954	Numerical Increase or Decrease (-) since 1947
Under 1 year	26,613	82,241	55,628
1 year and under 2 years	9,069	59,291	50,222
2 years " " 3 "	3,446	104,619	101,173
" " " 4 "	1,284	121,460	120,176
" " " 5 "	990	149,773	148,783
Total under 5 years	41,402	517,384	475,982
5 years and under 6 years	3,455	109,971	106,516
" " " 7 "	4,201	36,932	32,731
" " " 8 "	6,640	17,329	10,689
" " " 9 "	14,769	28,196	- 23,285
" " " 10 "	10,436		
" " " 15 "	26,276		
Total 5 years and under 15 years	65,777	192,428	126,651
15 years and over	615,438	554,011	- 61,427
Not Stated	21,570	22,126	556
Total Born outside Australia	744,187	1,285,949	541,762
Born in Australia	6,835,171	7,700,581	865,410
TOTAL	7,579,358	8,986,530	1,407,172

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